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## Our Prices on Furniture.

Are lower than any other house in this section, and our stock is both large and varied. Just take a look through our store, get our prices and be convinced that we can save you money.

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## IS RULED BY HABIT.

Some Common But Curious Facts About Sleep.

That sleep is ruled by the habits of the individual is extremely evident. An instance is given in which a person who had taken passage on board a warship was rudely awakened by the morning gun, which startled him exceedingly. On succeeding mornings the gun woke him at first sharply, and then much more quietly, until at length he slept on without being disturbed at all in his slumber. The report is given that while in a social habit of life has become part and parcel of the daily routine, sleep is liable to be disturbed by even the slightest appeal which ordinarily wakes the individual in the exercise of his profession, while noise of much more grievous character fail to effect that result. The doctor wakes on the slightest alarm of his night bell, while the click of the needle awakes the tired telegraphist when a loud noise might fail. Sir Edward Codrington was serving in the early days of his naval experiences as signal lieutenant to Lord Hood at the battle of Toulon. His duty was that of watching for and interpreting the signals by the lamp, batteries, and so forth. He remained on deck for 18 or 19 hours out of the 24. Exhausted with the strain of watching, he went below to obtain sleep, and reposed soundly, undisturbed by any ordinary noise; yet whenever a comrade lightly whispered in his ear, he would wake from his deep sleep, ready for duty. The cause of sleep is as yet a matter of scientific debate. In the present state of our knowledge there can be no absolute certainty in the matter.—Dr. Andrew Wilson, F. R. S. E., in Harper's Magazine.

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He was snoring for a divorce.

"Judge," he said, "and there was a painful tremor in his voice, "every night she made up the most awful chafing dish messes that mortal man ever sampled!" "But you didn't have to eat them," said the judge, sharply.

"Well, Dr. —— returned to his surgery that night, having met a right hand, and, petrified with terror, had been cowering in the top of his chair again. I looked at him and heard me again I looked at him and next at him and tred to run away, but was evidently too weak. Then it looked first back at me and next at the burred down which the snake had vanished, and, seeming finally to decide that the serpents of colour are greater than the serpents of man, it uttered a scream and followed the reptile into the hole. I stood still and listened. Presently from under the earth came the sound of a rush and a scuffle, followed by another pitiful scream. Then all was still.

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Go for Nothing.

"All right, sir."

"Tommy's gone, sir," he said, with a grin.—Weekly Telegraph.

A Definition.

A blue jay; one who has been bu-  
coed!—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Murders Go Free.

It is alleged that the death penalty is rarely enforced in Germany, Austria, Denmark or Sweden. In New York 11 out of 12 murderers escape without my punishment, and in the United States only one murderer in 50 suffers capital punishment.

A Natural Supposition.

The oil of the nut of the argan tree, which exists in Morocco, is useful to the natives both for burning and cooking purposes. When made into oil, it is invaluable to the natives and their cattle in time of drought. The best charcoal is made from the argan tree, and the dry timber is excellent for firewood.

There is said to be a tree in Bonn called the sack tree, because from it may be stripped a very singular natural sack which resembles felt in appearance. In the West Indies is found a tree, the bark of which is white, hairy, or networked. This bark is very beautiful. It consists of hairs which may be pulled out into a fine white web three or four feet wide. It is sometimes used for ladies' dresses. The margin tree of Mexico affords material for paper, and, from the juice is distilled a favorite beverage. From its heavier fibers the natives manufacture strong cords and coarse, strong cloth. Among the plants of Guinea one of the most curious is the cannon ball tree. It grows to a height of 60 feet, and its flowers are remarkable not only for their beauty, but also for their fragrance. Its blossoms are of a beautiful crimson, appearing in large bunches and clusters. The fruit is round. The fruit is round, the name. However, some say it has been so called because of the noise which the balls make in bursting. From the shells domestic utensils are made, and from the contents are obtained several kinds of acids, sugar and gum, as well as the materials for making an excellent drink in sickness. But, singular as it may appear, this pulp, when in a perfectly ripe state, is very filthy, and the odor from it is exceedingly unpleasant.—Ladies Home Journal.

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## TERMS ANNOUNCEMENT.

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## DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

FOR GOVERNOR  
WILLIAM GOEBEL,  
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Of Nelson County.FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL  
ROBERT J. BRECKINRIDGE,  
Of Boyle County.FOR AUDITOR  
GUS G. COULTER,  
Of Greenup County.FOR TREASURER  
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I. B. NALE,  
Of Jefferson County.FOR LEGISLATURE  
I. N. GREENE,  
Of Montgomery County.FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER, 2nd District  
COL A. W. HAMILTON,  
Of Montgomery County.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce John B. Chenuall, of Madison county as candidate for State Auditor, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce Mr. Green R. Koller, of Nicholas county, as a candidate for Secretary of State, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce M. A. Cassidy, of the county of Fayette, a candidate for Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

## For Councilman.

C. H. BROWN is a candidate for Councilman for the First Ward, of the City of Mt. Sterling, Ky., subject to the action of the Democratic party. Primary, July 5, 1899.

W. E. THOMPSON is a candidate for Councilman for the First Ward, of the City of Mt. Sterling, Ky., subject to the action of the Democratic party. Primary, July 5, 1899.

W. A. DEHAVEN is a candidate for Councilman for the Second Ward, of the City of Mt. Sterling, Ky., subject to the action of the Democratic party. Primary, July 5, 1899.

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At the head of columns we place the names of the State Democratic nominees. Stone was dropped on the 25th ballot and on the 26th ballot the vote stood Goebel 560, Hardin 531.

## OUR POSITION.

It is useless for THE ADVOCATE to announce to its readers that it will support the nominee of the Democratic party.

THE ADVOCATE has always been Democratic, so if displeased would have but one of two things to do: Stand by and uphold the party by casting our vote for and using our influence in favor of the nominees or by turning our back on those great and grand principles of Democracy, sacrificing every doctrine inculcated in party form, voting with and using influence for the success of a party, which according to our reasoning, has brought suffering beyond estimation to the poor and has become a mighty backing force to the powers that corrupt and crush the will of the people.

Such a transmutation from party loyalty finds no place in our ponderings.

We entered the campaign with a choice; for our candidate we contended. We did it honestly, faithfully and find ourselves defeated. We knew all the while that two candidates of the three must be defeated, and since our candidate was forced to yield to the inevitable with the other, it follows that we must yield to the dictation of that convention of which we were a part, and battle for its nominees so long as they are Democratic standard bearers.

Organized Democracy is far preferable to organized Republicanism, and if we would have an organized party, one that can win battles, we must stand for it.

## COUNCILMEN.

We can have a fair and just prize-morrow. Every man must learn to do his own voting, to look out for honest, sober, discreet business men. Men who know right from wrong and who have the nerve to carry out their own convictions. We shall select our own candidates just this way and we know of no better way. Within the next few years there will be questions of vital importance before these representatives, and for this reason Mt. Sterling should have as Councilmen our very best men; men who have been tried and never found wanting.

In our own party there is no disfellowship which finds expression in no double meaning language, but after a refreshing drink of ice cold lemonade these gentlemen doubtless will be sorry for what they have said, and like good Democrats that they are, will vote as their judgements dictate rather than according to their feelings.

Were it in our power we would wipe from the annals of political history that disgraceful convention held at Louisville, which lasted seven and a half days. Because we are for its nominees is no evidence our eyes are closed to right and just e.

Let every man vote his own mind in the city primary to-morrow. Mt. Sterling should have her best, her truest, her brainiest men as Councilmen, for when such men are needed at all they are needed badly.

Mr. James O'Connell, of this city, has announced for the Republican nomination for Representative in Montgomery and Monroe counties.

ASTORIA.  
Sees the  
Signature of  
Charles H. Fletcher

If Democracy is to win we must forget strife and pull ourselves together for the November fray.

Vote at the primary on Wednesday.

Democratic primary for Councilmen on Wednesday.

## Death of Judge Quincy Ward.

Judge J. Q. A. Ward died at his home, near Paris, on Monday, June 20, 1899, a little after midnight. He was born and reared near Oxford, Scott county, and was a son of Cary A. Ward, deceased. He was about 61 years of age. He was educated at Georgetown College, being a graduate of the class of 1858. Among his class-mates were Judge Jas. E. Carrill, of Georgetown; Hon. John L. Peck, now of Kansas City; the late Judge Richard Reid, of Mt. Sterling, and Rev. George Varden, of Paris.

He road well with the late Marceline Poole, then of Georgetown. After graduating at practice of his profession. He was married Nov. 30, 1868, to Miss Mary E. Miller, daughter of Mr. Jas. Miller, of Harrison county. He subsequently moved to a beautiful home near Paris.

He served four years as County Attorney in the county of his adoption; also represented the county in the State Legislature in 1873-4. He subsequently was a Judge of the Superior Court of Kentucky. Whatever position of honor and trust he filled he did his duty. He was an able lawyer, forcible speaker, and was a prominent and useful member of the Presbyterian church.

"Juney" Ward, as he was familiarly called by his friends, was a gentleman in every sense of the word, and he had hundreds of friends in Scott county and in Kentucky who will hear of his death with deep regret.

He was a brother of Mr. Edwin Ward, of Newtown vicinity; a half brother of Mr. Columbus Ward, of Oxford, and a step brother of Mr. James Harvey Moore, of Georgetown.

Judge Ward has not been forgotten here at Mt. Sterling, where he has appeared in the courts, demonstrating his training and great powers.

A hearty appetite does not always indicate a healthy condition. It is not the quantity of food which is eaten but the quantity which is assimilated, which determines the actual value of the food consumed.

If the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition cannot convert the food into nourishment, and into blood, then the food is an injury instead of a benefit. For all disorders of the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition, there is a certain remedy in Dr. Price's Golden Medical Discovery. It removes clogging obstructions. It strengthens the stomach, nourishes the serum, enriches the blood and builds up the body. It is a flesh-forming, muscle making preparation, making firm flesh instead of fleshy fat. "Golden Medical Discovery" contains no alcohol, whisky, or intoxicant of any kind, and is equally free from opium, cocaine and all narcotics.

Mt. Sterling Gets It.

We have tried ever since we have been in business to get a first-class coffee at a reasonable price that would give entire satisfaction, and we feel that we have more than accomplished our aim in our 12 cent bulk coffee. We have sold a barrel of 150 pounds every week for fifteen weeks and have never had a pound returned or complained of. We sell it on a strict guarantee. Buy a dollar's worth, try it a few meals, and it does not give entire satisfaction your money refunded and no charge for what you have used.

BASSETT &amp; PITTMAN.

Read what Mr. Paxton, agent for the C. &amp; O. railroad at this place, says: This is to certify that Bassett &amp; Pittman, of Mt. Sterling, have received every week for nineteen weeks a barrel of coffee from Cincinnati.

CLAUDE PAXTON, Agent C. &amp; O. R. R.

High Bridge Excursion.

Excursions are run from Cliftonland and all points south every other Sunday to High Bridge. There is not a more beautiful place to visit than this enthralling spot. You can't afford to miss it. The rate is remarkably low. One dollar from Cincinnati, fifty cents from Lexington and like low rates from other points. Ask your agent about it; you cannot afford to miss this pleasant day at the river. Your ticket agent will give you rates, dates and schedule of these excursions.

Republican State Convention.

Lexington, Ky., July 12, 1899. Special reduced round trip rates from all stations in Kentucky on this occasion.

Ask your ticket agent for full particulars.

612 WILLIAM ROACH.

## MARRIAGES.

NOSBY-RICE.

At Middletown on Wednesday, June 29, Mr. Joe Mosby, of Trenton, Ark., and Miss Mary Rice, daughter of Mrs. Ada Rice, were married by Rev. Donaldson. The couple left at once for their future home.

## Important Change of Time on the C. &amp; O. Railway.

Taking effect Sunday, June 18th, the Chesapeake &amp; Ohio Railway changed its time materially, and the following is a synopsis of the time so far as it affects Mt. Sterling. Cut out for future reference:

The Lexington accommodation train formerly leaving at 6:35 a.m. has been taken off and the fast express No. 21 will make the local stops between Mt. Sterling and Lexington; leaving Mt. Sterling at 6:55 a.m. daily, reaching Lexington at 8:05 a.m. and Louisville at 11 a.m. No connection is made at Winchester for points on the Kentucky Central.

A new train will pass Mt. Sterling daily at 9:40 from Huntington and all local stations, reaching Winchester at 10:13 a.m. and Lexington at 10:55 a.m.

The New York express, No. 23, will pass Mt. Sterling at 4:30 p.m. and reach Lexington at 5:30 p.m. and Louisville at 8 p.m. daily.

The Lexington accommodation will arrive from Winchester and Lexington at 7:05 p.m. and a new train will leave Mt. Sterling at 7:30 p.m. for Winchester and Lexington, reaching Lexington at 8:40 p.m. daily except Sunday.

The New York limited will leave at 12:30 noon daily for New York and eastern points.

The Washington express, No. 24, will leave at 9:46 p.m. daily for all eastern points.

For further information call on CLAUDE PAXTON, Agent, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

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Gen. C. M. Clay.

Says a telegraph special of June 22: Gen. Casius M. Clay, ex-Militia to Russia, and known far and wide as "The Sage of White Hall," is almost totally blind. To the Kentucky L. A. W., which called him in to a body, he stated that his sight was so impaired that he could not distinguish man from woman. Not only this, but he is so feeble that when he left his mansion and went out into the yard to welcome the visitors he was compelled to lean upon the arm of an attendant.

## Dividend Notice.

On Saturday, July 1, 1899 dividend No. 7 of 5% will be paid to the depositors of the New Farmers Bank, same can be obtained by calling on Mr. G. K. Kent at his office on Court street, second door, Mt. Sterling, Ky., H. CLAY TURNER, Trustee New Farmers Bank.

50-ft.

No Extra Session.

The latest report is that the Baker-Howard lead in Clay county has been greatly exaggerated and that no extra session of the Legislature will be called for the purpose of passing needed legislation in such cases.

To Los Angeles and Return.

The "Air Line" will make a rate of one fare plus \$2 for the round trip to Los Angeles, California, and return. Tickets on sale June 24th, to July 7th, extreme limit returning, September 4th. This low rate is on account of the meeting of the National Educational Association. For description circulars, time tables, etc., call at ticket office, 3rd and Main St., or address J. B. CAMPBELL, D. P. A., Louisville, Ky.

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Mid-June Offerings

That will add to your interest, that will give you the assurance that we're meeting every pledge, that will prove our store to be the economical Furniture Store. Newest ideas, newest finishes, newest designs, but prices you'll gladly pay, when you see the goods. We lead in prices on every variety of Household and Kitchen supply.

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*Keep Your Blood Pure.* If you have neglected your case a long time, you had better take

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There may be something about your case you do not quite understand. Call on Dr. Ayer and let him know you are suffering. You will be greatly relieved.

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## Facts and Observations,

On Wednesday Trimble started on a two day's trip to Sharpsburg, Bethel and Sherburne. After crossing Hinkston bridge he saw evidences of a heavy rain. On inquiry he learned that on Saturday, June 24, a very heavy rain had fallen, extending for several miles around the bridge, Sharpsburg and Bethel. There were four distinct hall storms, with heavy rain and lightning, all of which did much damage to live stock, crops and land. Wm. Triplett's large tobacco barn was blown to pieces, and we fear he lost his crop of last year's tobacco. Lightning killed a fine mare and mule valued at \$225 belonging to Block Gillaspie, and a yearling mare for Walter Sharp. Hail much injured tobacco and corn for several miles, especially toward Bethel.

In the pike near Wm. Canan's and the blacksmith shop the creek came into the bed of buggies and the cars were much washed.

After an exchange of courtesies with friends in town we proceeded via Sia Rta's toward Bethel.

Called at Richard Donaldson's at 11:20 and accepted the invitation to refresh ourselves. At the table we met Mr. Donaldson and wife (who is a sister of James and Wm. Shront), their children, Mr. Geo. E. Donaldson and wife, Mrs. Sam Ralls and daughter, Misses Minnie and Nannie. Such events are bright spots in the life of an editor, although prudence is required when a man with a rebellious stomach sits down to such a bountiful and tempting spread.

Mr. Alvin Evans was not at home. His wife is a cousin of Mrs. Duty of our city.

Daniel Hurst told the writer that his wife, formerly Miss Rosa Swannigan, of Hazelgreen, was sick. We recalled our school days together when about 18 years ago we played under the beach and chestnut trees in the school yard, and for a change applied ourselves to the attainment of knowledge. They have three daughters, the youngest 12 years old, and a son aged 7 weeks—the finest boy in the country (the father says so). Mrs. Hurst has been an invalid for several years. The family are members of the Methodist church. After referring to some of God's promises to the afflicted and expressed hope for her speedy recovery we drove on.

We conversed with Mr. James Whaley, admired her flowers, saw a field of the finest corn on our trip and stopped next at Mr. Stone's, in Bethel. Here we met the venerable A. G. Robinson, the father of Mrs. Stone, also Mrs. Cliff Hazelrigg, of Owingsville.

If we were to tell of all the stops made, and pleasant experiences, no doubt some or many of our readers

would modestly exclaim: "Give us a rest!"

We paid our respects to the business and professional (M. D.) men of the town, received orders for work, and heard references to Geobium, etc.

Tarrying awhile at J. W. Chisholm's, formerly of Clark county, who lives on the Allie Young farm, we reached Sherburne at 8 o'clock.

There are three stores here, owned by Mrs. Jones, Wm. Graham and J. S. Swart.

The Sherburne Roller Mill, owned by Goodpaster & Scott, has now a capacity of 60 barrels of flour, and will soon be remodeled with increased capacity.

The bridge across Licking is certainly a source of big revenue. A keg is employed for \$10 per month. The toll for a buggy is ten cents, two passengers free.

We returned to Bethel and partook of the hospitality of David Trammell. Bethel has four stores owned by Jno. W. Hawkins, J. P. Givens, Gosssett Bros. and Punch & Gatewood, of Mt. Sterling, with Mr. Arasmith as manager.

Bethel and vicinity should be very healthful, for there are five doctors. These many should be able to nip disease in the bud, and prolong to the utmost the harvest of death.

We met the Misses Lane, of this city, who were visiting their sister, Mrs. Garrett, in the country.

We had a pleasant call with Mrs. Lee Vanarsdell, a daughter of Mrs. Judy, of this county.

We tarried a while at Sharpsburg, a prospective station on the famous double-track Black Diamond Railroad which, from present indications, will not be built—through Mt. Sterling.

Proceeding westward like the course of empire, we paid our respects to some of the citizens, Pat Henry, J. B. Crouch, and others. From Paint we leisurely drove home in the cool of the day.

The wheat crop along the journey is said to be about two-thirds of an average. Much corn is backward and tobacco seems small. Blackberries are scarce. Most wheat has been cut, but little if any threshed.

We saw two partisans and two "bunnies." Editors and other people do not see everything.

We are convinced that prosperity is coming—how long it will be delayed in arriving we can not tell. Of course

## Nursing Mothers

dread hot weather. They know how it weakens and how this affects the baby.

All such mothers need Scott's Emulsion. It gives them strength and makes the baby's food richer and more abundant.

50c, a bottle. Allrightate.

There has been improvement, but the golden days are by and by. Refreshing will be the experience when men say they are willing to pay able to do so, and when all subscribers will pay in advance.

With these favorable conditions we will continue to make our tours of observation, and as far as possible put the Mt. STERLING ADVOCATE, a messenger of news, cheer, helpfulness, and sunshine, into the homes of our editor, although prudence is required when a man with a rebellious stomach sits down to such a bountiful and tempting spread.

Mr. Alvin Evans was not at home. His wife is a cousin of Mrs. Duty of our city.

Daniel Hurst told the writer that his wife, formerly Miss Rosa Swannigan, of Hazelgreen, was sick. We recalled our school days together when about 18 years ago we played under the beach and chestnut trees in the school yard, and for a change applied ourselves to the attainment of knowledge. They have three daughters, the youngest 12 years old, and a son aged 7 weeks—the finest boy in the country (the father says so).

Mrs. Hurst has been an invalid for several years. The family are members of the Methodist church. After referring to some of God's promises to the afflicted and expressed hope for her speedy recovery we drove on.

We conversed with Mr. James Whaley, admired her flowers, saw a field of the finest corn on our trip and stopped next at Mr. Stone's, in Bethel. Here we met the venerable A. G. Robinson, the father of Mrs. Stone, also Mrs. Cliff Hazelrigg, of Owingsville.

If we were to tell of all the stops made, and pleasant experiences, no doubt some or many of our readers

## A LETTER

From Another Boy in the Far Away Philippines.

Is a Sharpshooter and Has an Exciting Time.

Will Have Many Interesting Tales to Tell When He Gets Home.

Harry Berry received the following interesting letter from his cousin in the Philippines.

In the Field Near Pasay, P. I., April 23, 1899.

DEAR SLEEPY—Your letter received two days ago. I was very glad indeed to hear from you, but I may say I could not have answered the letter if you had not written this sentence, "However I know nothing about the affair." How people in the States, after reading accounts of battles, engagements, etc., we have with those "niggers" and seeing what kind of warfare they would carry on had they the chance, can call them down-trodden, poor ignorant people will always be a mystery to me. I am not finding fault with you for well I know how little time a dubious school boy has to peruse the newspaper. But before I go further let me give you some facts as I know them, not as I have heard them.

When the Filipinos attacked us on the 4th of February they had an army of from twenty-five to thirty thousand men, armed with as good guns as we three thousand regulars had and far better than our eleven thousand volunteers had. They were in a jungle that would make Stanley's Dark-Afrika look like a desert. We not only kept them from coming out of the jungle into the city, but drove them back at every point. Since that day every engagement we have had with them, they have greatly outnumbered us but we have always driven them before us and taken everything we have gone after. Take Malabon for an example. They were behind wild old warriors claim were the best broadswords they ever saw or read about and had two men to our one. We had to cross an opening of over half a mile to reach them. We crossed the opening, bayoneted them out of the trenches and killed them as they ran. Our losses were great, but had been in our place, and we in theirs not a one of them would have reached the trenches. If they were the marksmen we are, an army of 50,000 Americans could not have whipped them. Thousands of them have fought until they died, what now can any soldier do? We well know what poor shots they are and often charge them where we would not think of charging any civilized enemy. Perhaps with you it is a nation of 71,000,000 fighting a nation of 17,000,000, but here it is 20,000 (our army is increasing every day) fighting 30,000.

With climate, location and everything except artillery in favor of the niggers I know we will never get the credit we are entitled to for whipping these diggers, simply because they are not an recognized nation. But the soldiers that fought the Spaniards here and in Cuba know that we have ten times harder fighting with the Filippines than we had with them.

You ask me if I have been in any of the fighting. I know by this question that you did not read the daily papers. I was certainly with my regiment on the 5th of February and that day my regiment lost 25 percent of the killed and wounded. We were certainly in the warmest spot on this island that day. Since that day we have been in several scrapes, but our casualties have been light. The 7th of this month we were part of a flying squadron that went up the lake and captured several cities. Santa Cruz, the second largest city of the island was one of them.

This was the finest outing any troops on the island have had. We drank water from pure mountain springs, killed two hundred niggers, ate cariboo, cattle, hogs, chickens, new tomatoes, corn, onions, radishes, potatoes; saw enough cocoanuts to dam the ocean from here to New York; enough tomatoes and other fruit to feed Stanley Lee a year. We simply had a great time. We killed the negroes at Santa Cruz. They

were in the city three thousand strong, well entrenched and armed. We, 1500 strong, took the town by storm; lost two men.

In each regiment on the Island there are forty sharpshooters. I am one and was with the 150 that was on this trip.

If I could tell you the duties of a sharpshooter or scout without sounding to do some unnecessary puffing of myself, I would do so, but as I can't I will not attempt it. It is not the nicest position in the world, although sometimes it is very exciting. Possibly I can tell you tales with some truth in them when I get out of here that will make you think I had a charmed life or was one of God's chosen sons to escape with a non-punctured hide.

If I am so unfortunate as to have to stay here another year I will be only 38 years better off than Rip Van Winkle. In fact I won't be that much better off. Old Rip did have pleasant dreams and that's more than a man in this infernal region can have. Nightmares and visions of cut-throat negroes are as frequent as church sociale in hell. If I ever get out of here I will, with unshaken confidence, appeal to the Divine Arbiter for the truth of the declaration that "I will never, never, see the Philippines Island again."

Am I homesick!

Well, yes, if wanting to see the United States is homesick.

What do you think I have been doing to make me disgusted with this country. Since the 3rd of February—seventy-two nights—I have slept with my shoes and clothes off only two nights. Have worn the same clothes, washing them and going naked while they dried. Have seen all the hardships of an old warrior and am ready for a rest or change. Fighting is the easiest part of war. Strange as it may seem to you soldiers had rather fight than lie idle, guarding something and expecting an attack to come. If our officers would turn us loose and tell us to bring in the Filipino army, we certainly would do our best.

This town of Pasay is on the South of Manila, about half way between Manila and Paranaque. We expect to take Paranaque soon and certainly will have a hard fight. But the sooner the better, for then we will have the Filipinos whipped and they will know it. They are whipped now but they don't know it.

Roy is about five miles from here at San Pedro Macario. He is well and wants to go home as nine out of ten of all soldiers here.

I must close. This surely is a puzzling, disconnected letter. It certainly is laboring under difficulties to write a letter here. The next time I will be better located. Write soon and tell me all the news. I am always glad to hear from you or any one in the States.

Your cousin,

JAMES SOUSLEY.

Co. C, 14th Infantry, Manila.

KIDNEY is a deceptive disease—TROUBLE doesn't know it, and you don't know it. If you want quick results you can make no better than by using Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy. At druggists in fifty cent and dollar sizes. Sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney trouble.

Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Birmingham, N. Y.

Another Fire—Far From the Center of the Town.

On yesterday morning after 11 o'clock, completely destroyed the residence of Mr. John Curtis on Richmon Avenue. The fire originated from a defective pipe in the kitchen. Most of his household goods were saved. He carried no insurance. The fire could not be controlled after the fire company reported, as the location is far from the center of town.

Turnpike Troubles in Mason Over

The war is over. The Mason Fiscal Court has purchased the remaining turnpikes, Maysville and Lexington, Mason and Bracken, and Maysville and Mt. Sterling at a cost of \$73,000.

Ready.

Your accounts are now ready.

Please call and settle.

51-3t W. W. WILSON.

Bank Reports.

See the Reports of the three cities.

Sold by druggists, 75 cents.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Bank Examiner.

R. D. Garrett, aged 30, cashier of

a bank at Princeton, Ky., was on Friday officially announced as Bank Examiner for Kentucky. The salary is about \$4,000.

# GOLD DUST THE BEST Washing Powder

FIFTH SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THIS

♦ ♦ Mt. Sterling National Bank ♦ ♦

To the Stockholders at the Close of Business JUNE 30, 1899.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Notes and Discounts..... \$116,989.98	Capital Stock..... \$50,000.00
U. S. Bonds in our possession..... 200.00	Surplus..... 13,000.00
Other U. S. Bonds..... 50,000.00	Unpaid Profits..... 2,000.00
Premium on Bonds..... 3,857.50	Worth 300.00
Other Stocks and Bonds..... 10,100.00	Circulation..... 22,500.00
Interest Received, etc. .... 1,000.00	Certified Checks..... 322.82
Due from Banks..... 65,500.70	Individual Deposits..... 209,122.13
Internal Revenue Stamps on hands..... 150.00	
Five per cent. Redemption Fund..... 1,153.00	
Cash..... 10,343.38	
	\$207,088.25
	55,827.27

PIERCE WINN, CASHIER.

## EXCHANGE BANK OF KENTUCKY, MT. STERLING, KY.

65-ANNUAL STATEMENT JUNE 30, 1899.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Notes and Discounts..... \$102,921.13	Capital Stock..... \$50,000.00
Banking house..... 2,500.00	Surplus..... 12,000.00
Office furniture..... 3,000.00	Unpaid Profits..... 105.88
Other receivable stamp..... 1,000.00	Interest and legal taxes..... 1,000.00
Overdrafts..... 2,821.51	Due to Banks..... 250.00
Due from Banks..... 71,276.18	Individual Deposit..... 140,673.23
Cash..... 16,923.21	
	Total..... \$108,194.63
	Total..... 187.73
	Interest 55.57
	Other 29.00—\$142,017.30

DISPOSED OF AS FOLLOWS:

Expense account..... \$2,001.31
Losses charged off..... 355.28
Added to capital fund..... 300.00
Added to bank to pay taxes..... 10.00
Five per cent. dividend..... 2,500.00
Interest remaining..... 195.88—\$5,917.31

H. R. FRENCH, CASHIER.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

## TRADESMEN'S DEPOSIT BANK.

AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 30, 1899.

Resources.	Liabilities.
Notes and Discounts..... \$104,615.47	Capital Stock..... \$19,250.00
Overdrafts..... 8,487.20	Surplus..... 10,550.00
Banking house and fixtures..... 8,000.00	Deposits..... 131,414.10
Other receivable stamp..... 7,095.00	Undivided profits..... 1,990.82
Overdraft taken for debt..... 5,174.00	Paid to pay taxes..... 198.05
Due from Banks..... \$55,217.79	Total..... \$202,689.47
Cash on hand..... 10,419.22—\$22,897.21	Total..... \$202,689.47

GEO. W. BAIRD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this day 1, 1899.

EL. G. KERN, Notary Public Montgomery County.

Commission expires January 31, 1899.

Victory For Temperance at Winchester.

Cheap Sunday Rates on C. & O.

Taking effect on Sunday, June 25, the Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. will sell round trip tickets between all stations on the Lexington Division on Sundays at One Fare for the round trip.

With the additional train service recently put on, this offers a good opportunity to visit friends and relatives in the country and get back the same day. See ticket agents for further information.

G. W. BARNEY,  
Div. Pass. Agt.

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12c, 15c, 17c, delivered.

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The McCormick New 4 Mower takes the lead over all others.

Their agent, Ed. Mitchell has sold fifty-five already this season.

If they do not prove to be the best without a single exception you may return them. You have a chance to see whether it is the best or not without it costing you one cent.

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Wanted!

To buy life policies lapsed and unpaid—any kind. Will pay cash. Call me at my office, Traders' Deposit

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Mt. Sterling, Ky.

TWO GOOD CAT STORIES.  
The Man Who Bought Pussies—A Queer Race.

Dr. J. B. Kinnaird, one of the popular physicians of Lancaster, says that in 1849 a European tobacco buyer was in Gárdar, stopping at a house near the headwaters of Sugar Creek, an important shipping point, and one day an old man from Casey county, who happened to pass by, asked the European, whose name was Billy Walls, what he was buying, when he laughingly answered: "I am here buying cats to ship to England." "What are you paying for them?" "Ten cents apiece." The Casey man pursued his journey, and going to his native country he gathered up every cat within its borders that the owners would give up, and with his four-horse team passed through Lincoln and Boyle, adding to his stock of cats, till at last wooden cages full of felines were piled as high upon his old government wagon as they could be kept on, and arriving at Mr. Walls' boarding house in Gárdar, he said: "I have brought you them there cats we were talking about, and I have in that old wagon 1,160 (eleven hundred) of the best rat-catchers in Kentucky." The European gentleman saw the joke was on him, and he handed over \$110 amid the great laughter of the crowd that happened to be present. The cats were liberated at once, and they do say there hasn't been a rat in that portion of Kentucky since.

About 21 or 22 years later Judge Tipton, now editor of the Richmond Paragraph, was running a paper in Lancaster, and extensively advertised a cat race. The day for the fun arrived, thousands of spectators from all over Kentucky and other states were present in the beautiful 200-acre blue-grass field of Hon. Malcolm Gill, near Lancaster, red, white and blue programmes were distributed among the throng, 305 eats were in line, and at the top of the bell by President Tipton every eat shot out of the leg and went down the lino swifter than any thoroughbred of today, and wonderful to record, the race was won by a cat the great-grandmother of which was one of the original felines sold to the European buyer by the Casey county man 40 years prior thereto. Judge Tipton's cat race was one of the biggest and most laughable things in the history of the state, and will go down to future generations in the history of farmland county. — Harrodsburg (Ky.) Sayings.

## The Public Domain.

According to the report of the secretary of the interior the public domain contains 1,835,017,692 acres, of which 139,516,376 acres are reserved and 637,339,422 acres are appropriated. Alaska is not included in this statement.

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Bears the  
Signature of  
John H. Weston  
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The Hardware Man.

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## SIAMESE BOATS.

Expert Watermen of the East Travel in Houseboats.

The highways of Siam are the several large rivers that run through the country from north to south, and the innumerable khlongs (canals) which cross-section all its lower portion and connect the more important waterways. Save in the most northerly part of the country, there are practically no overland travel; while the occasional roads of southern Siam reach back towards the edge of the jungles, and are used but little, except by the tribes that bring their crude products to the settlements for barter and the very few that go into the jungle to hunt. The main arteries of travel are the watercourses, along which extend the villages, and where ample opportunity offers for the perfection of that skill with the paddle of which certainly every man, and apparently every woman and child, is possessed.

These Siamese are the most expert watermen of the east, and in their abandon on the river and perfect ease in handling their boats amidst difficulties, are equalled, in my judgment, only by the Esquimaux. The Malay, too, is a consummate waterman, but his craft is differently rigged. It is not so cranky nor so shallow as that of the Siamese, and therefore the work of the latter appears to be the more difficult and the more suggestive of high-skill.

The Siamese boat is of many sizes and styles, but always beautifully, if simply, constructed of teak, and invariably of braided lines. Perhaps the most common type seen on the larger rivers is the rrau chang, which, as fortune speeds the owner, is either a peddler's boat, filled with coconuts, betel-nut, bananas, or other of Siam's many varieties of fruit, or, as at Bangkok, becomes a ferry boat. The rrau chang is a bit of twisted rattan fastened to the top of a post 23 feet high, set on the port side of the stern; the oar is of the length with which we are familiar, and of straight blade. The oarsman stands on the starboard side of the stern, and sends the boat forward by pushing the oar from him, bringing it back with a familiar sailor's motion, without taking the blade out of the water. This much of the stroke is quite like that of the Venetian gondolier, but the body movement of the Siamese is much more rhythmic. As he comes forward on the push, the body moves smoothly, and the left foot clears the deck and swings gracefully in time with the oar.

Made a little larger, with a much more decided upward rake to the stern, and the rrau chang becomes the type used ordinarily for sailing, or is fitted for and may be propelled by three cars, exclusive of a helmsman, who does some rowing also. The sailboat type is that of the river small trader, and as such has a deckhouse of matting, making most excellent shelter for the family, which is an almost invariable accompaniment.

The river type next most common is the house boat, found from end to end of Siam, and the one commonly used by the traveler. 'Twas in such a craft I made the first stage of my journey from Bangkok towards the jungle. You can make yourself comfortable under that barrel-shaped covering, made of a certain kind of stout palm leaf, called atap, which is protection against both sun and rain; but after a few days you would gladly welcome an opportunity to stretch your legs, if, as is most unusual in the khlongs, you could find a bit of soil clear of dense undergrowth or solid enough to walk upon.

The house boat is made in several sizes, the largest requiring eight oarsmen—four at bow and four in the stern. Such a size affords a small bit of deckroom at either end of the house—large enough, however—in which to swing your bed with murderous intent on the mosquitoes that are so big and so numerous, so persistent and vicious, that straightway you forewarn having ever before even heard of mosquitoes, though you may have spent many summers in the fastnesses of New Jersey or on the Long Island sound, or even journeyed in the Great Slave Lake district in the springtime.—Harper's Weekly.

## Cost of War.

The cost of the world's wars since the Crimean war has been \$12,263,000,000, or enough to give a couple of sovereigns to every man, woman and child on the globe.

If a man knows much, he wants to know more. His appreciation of knowledge shows itself in his desire to add to his stock. If he thinks he already has enough, he is ready to display his stores than to acquire more. It is the wise man who is always learning. Shallower intellects and those scarcely supplied are prompter to show what they think they already know than to be gainers from those who are better informed.

## IN THE ONE CENT STORES.

Many Old and Simple Things That Children Buy.

One-cent stores do not deal exclusively in one-cent things, but along with a variety of other articles of one kind and another there are offered many things at one cent each which children buy. Among the more curious things thus sold for a cent are eyeglasses. The frames of these eyeglasses are made of a single piece of metal, a very light and narrow strip of tin ingeniously bent. The bending is begun by forming the nose clip on one side; then the strip of metal is bent around to form the frame of one of the glasses, this bending bringing it around to meet the nose clip. From that point the metal is bent up and back over the eye opening just formed and back again and across to form the nose piece and spring of the eyeglasses; it is bent down and inward, to correspond to the opposite side, to a point where it will meet the other nose clip when it shall have been formed, and then it is rounded back and outward, and over, forming the top of the frame of the other glass. The strip is carried round until it comes to the point at which the handle would be attached on ordinary eyeglasses, and there it is bent abruptly outward and brought back to the glass frame again, the loop thus made forming a handle. From the base of the handle thus formed the strip is carried on around, forming the rest of the frame, and around and up to meet the metal where it was bent back to begin the forming of this second frame. There is still just a little bit of the metal strip left, and this is now bent down to form the second nose clip.

The glass used in glazing these eyeglasses is plain; some are fitted with white, some with red and some with blue glasses. A slight bending down of the thin metal strip that forms the frame stiffens the glasses in place, and each glass is held in security by winding a bit of wire around the neck of its frame, at the point where the upper and the lower part of the frame meet at the nose clip. There is a cord attached to each pair of glasses. These eyeglasses are made in Germany. At a cent a pair they yield a fair profit to importer, jobber and retailer.

The one-cent eyeglasses are an old standby; new this year among one-cent goods is a little blown-glass duck, with its body drawn out to form a slender pipe an inch or two long, where the tail would otherwise be, this pipe being designed to be held in the mouth. There is an opening in the end of the pipe, and a very minute opening in the end of the duck's beak. There is also a small opening in the top of the duck's head. This little hollow glass duck is filled with water and held by somebody who knows the trick of it with a finger over the hole in the top of the duck's head. Held thus and with the pipe stem in the mouth a tiny stream of water is expelled from the duck's beak. Then the holder turns it over to somebody who doesn't know the trick, and when he blows, the hole in the top of the duck's head being bigger than the one in the end of the beak he blows the water up through the top of the duck's head to fall upon his face. This toy comes also from Germany. The duck is lifelike in proportions, and when the price is considered it seems almost a marvel in glass blowing. Like the eyeglasses, the glass duck at a cent yields a fair profit to importer, jobber and retailer.

There is a large variety of one-cent goods, and these include nowadays many things that a few years ago were sold at five cents. The wooden one-cent goods are almost all made in this country; the metal and other goods retailed at that price are likely to be imported. Including those stores that sell some penny goods without making a specialty of them, there are in the city thousands of stores in which one-cent goods are sold; and in the aggregate the amount of money paid for them is considerable.—N.Y. Sun.

## A Sign of Wisdom.

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The famous Hazard circular, to capital in New York, and by the Bull Bank circular to United States Bankers, both emanating from London, and the fabulous corruption fund raised in England and Germany, estimated at \$1,500,000, were the agents that secured the closing of our mints against silver.

The "walk into my parlor" policy of England, during and since the Spanish War, is the latest evidence of English Diplomacy in shaping the destiny of the United States Government.

Notwithstanding the famine price of wheat, the Spanish War, and fabulous expenditures of money by our government during the past year, gold has increased in value eleven per cent, and all other values decreased in the same proportion.

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From Mt. Sterling.

## C. &amp; O., Corrected Time Table.

No. 21 West Bound leaves at 6:55 a.m.

No. 25 " " 9:40 " "

No. 27 " " 10:30 p.m.

No. 22 East Bound " 12:30 " "

No. 21 " " 9:45 " "

No. 26 " " 5:33 a.m.

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### OLD SOL IS SHRINKING.

When the Sun Dies, the Earth Will Freeze.

Our sun is now a yellow star similar to Capella, and hence it will eventually become bluish-white like Sirius and Vega, says Prof. T. J. J. See, in the Atlantic. The secular shrinkage of the sun's radius will cause a steady rise in its temperature, and when the body has reached the stage of Sirius, where the temperature is perhaps doubled, the light emitted will become intensely blue. The temperature may be expected to go on rising till a small radius is attained, and finally, when the dense mass, intensely hot, becomes incapable of further shrinkage, a state of intense compression, a state of forces resisting condensation, a cooling will gradually ensue, after which the body will liquefy and then rapidly decline in splendor. The sun will thenceforth be wrapped in everlasting darkness, and the chill of death will overtake the planetary system. A condition of darkness thus follows close upon a period of intense brilliancy, and hence the obscurity of such bodies as the companions of Sirius, Procyon and Algol. The most obscure satellites are thus associated with some of the brightest and most intensely luminous stars in our sky; and here the smaller of the two masses, as in the case of the planets of the solar system, have developed most rapidly.

In view of this approaching extinction of the sun's activity, it becomes a matter of interest to inquire how long its heat will sustain life upon the earth. Though it is difficult to submit the subject to accurate computation, it is easy to see that the exhaustion of the sun's light and heat certainly will not occur for several hundred thousand, and perhaps not for several million years. Thus the ultimate doom of our system need occasion no anxiety among those now living, but the result is philosophically interesting to those who look several million years into the future.

As experiment has shown that the sun's vertical rays falling continuously upon terrestrial ice would melt a layer of the same about one-half inch per day, it follows that a similar shell of ice would form over the earth in case the sun's light and heat were cut off; thus in a month the whole earth would be frozen like the polar regions, and only the deeper bodies of water, containing a great amount of heat, would remain in a liquid state. The oceans themselves would freeze over within a few years at the latest, and the winds and even the tides would cease to agitate the terrestrial globe, which would henceforth spin in its orbit as a rigid lifeless mass.

QUEER SECTS IN PARIS.

Modest Who Are Turning to the Worship of Isis.

Soets of "Neo-Pagans," of Zoroastrians and of other mysterious and occult "religions" have their representatives and quarters in Paris, and one of these fine days the inhabitants of this great city may as it would appear, be treated to the spectacle of the ceremonies with which the rather eccentric people who have a sneaking kindness for Isis, the ancient Egyptian goddess, delight to honor her memory. Some of our antiquaries say the Paris correspondents of the London Telegraph, are recalling to mind the fact that the old Gauls were somewhat given to the worship of Isis. Enthusiasts even argue that Paris is a sort of "Babylonia," the vessel of Isis. "A temple of Isis is affirmed by those who profess to be acquainted with the history of the country to have crowned the summit of Montmartre, and a statue of Isis was discovered once upon a time in the neighborhood of the Church of St. Germain des Pres. At any rate, it seems that we are likely to witness some extraordinary rites, including the famous "dance of the four elements," divided into the four steps of the flowers, of the Mirror, of the Tresses and of the Perfumes, and all this executed or led by a graceful little "priestess," halting not from the banks of the Nile, but from those of the Seine. Then there will be singing hymns, and other customs, quite bizarre in fact, and, if I may be credited, the whole performance will be under the auspices of an Anglo-Egyptian couple which is vastly interested in this matter of the worship of Isis.

### Encouraging Carefulness.

In Birmingham, Ala., the street railway company decided to offer prizes to the men for the care of cars. Conductors on the electric cars and motormen of fare box cars who have the next best car will be given ten dollars, while those whose cars have been habitually dirty will be discharged. All motormen who have not cost the company anything for damages will be given \$20, while those who have not cost the company over five dollars for collisions or breakdowns will get five dollars. All those who cost the company over \$25 damage will be discharged unless they can prove that the accidents were not caused by carelessness.



### A Woman Only Knows

What suffering from fatigue of the womb, white, painful or irregular menses, or any disease of the distinctly female nature can a woman bear? This or that pity but we can not know the exact cause of the trouble. The suffering, so patiently borne, which robes her in beauty, hope and happiness. Yet this suffering really is needless.

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## SOCIAL EVENTS.

At her home on Tuesday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, Mrs. T. F. Roger entertained many lady friends in honor of her niece, Mrs. Robert Kille, of Paris, Ill. She was assisted in receiving by Madames W. S. Lloyd, B. F. Thompson, H. VanAntwerp, and Miss Bruce Chiles. Delicous refreshments were served by Miss Charlotte Rogers, assisted by Mrs. James Rogers, Misses Bettie and Anna Donohue and Anna Laura Sharp. The house was beautifully decorated and the occasion a most pleasing one.

## BREVITIES OF FUN.

Sensible Gifts.—"What did Fineberry give the bride?" "Two fire escapes and a jumping net."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Rose.—"She admitted that I was the light of her life." Cross—"And then, I presume, she decided to turn you down?"—Town Topics.

Clear on One Point.—Sprockett—"Do you believe the piano has seen its best days?" Tyre—"I know mine have"—Philadelphia North American.

"That girl next door thumps on her piano 20 times a day." "Yes, and I've noticed that she always plays forte like sixty."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

"What's the bride's front name?" asked the license clerk. "Aw, now, really, I don't know," replied the count. "Ye see, her father's attending to all the details, me dear fellow."—Philadelphia North American.

A Few Years Hence.—Mr. Emanipus—"Oh, dear, why do you get up and go out as soon as the curtain falls? Why can't you sit still until the next act begins?" Mrs. Emanipus—"Don't be silly. I'm going out to see a woman."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

"My wife," said the tall, lantern-jawed man, "is as womanly a woman as you could find, but she can ham and wig right along." "Wonderful!"—said the chemist. "Lightning, the tall, lantern-jawed man continued, "seldom strikes twice in the same place?"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

"Now, how do you stand on this question?" asked the man who had indulged in a long dissertation. "Exactly as I stood years ago, when it first came up," answered Senator Sorgum. "It's been so long that I forgot just exactly how I stood, but I haven't changed my mind a bit, sir; not a bit."—Washington Star.

## Masonic Notice.

The Craft will assemble at their lodge-room for funeral service at 12:30 o'clock, Tuesday July 4. By order of V. H. Brainer, A. M. A.

## Wanted.

A good gelding harness horse for its keeper. A three ADV. CASH \$100.

W. R. Field, purchased Charles Meng's cattle, 65 head, weight 1350 for \$47.50 for first half of July delivery. These cattle are having corn fed.

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## Come In.

For months you want have been supplied by O. Laughlin & Son. Their accounts are now ready.

Grand display of Chinese fire work at Woo Jan's Chinese Laundry, Tuesday July 4th, at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

## Wheat.

See the Monarch Milling Company before you sell your wheat, if you want the highest market price. 54-44

## BIRTHS.

To Mrs. Charles Taylor at the home of her brother, David Prewitt, of Clark county, on Sunday, July 2—a daughter.

On Sunday, June 11, to the wife of David Prewitt—a daughter.

Born, on the 29 Inst. to James Alvis and wife—a son.

## SATURN'S NEW MOON.

Discovery Made from Photographic Plates Received from Peru.

Prof. Pickering, of the Harvard Observatory, has made an announcement of great interest to the astronomical world—namely, the discovery of a new satellite of the planet Saturn. It is  $\frac{3}{4}$  miles distant from the planet as the satellite Iapetus, the outermost moon of Saturn heretofore known. The discovery, like Mrs. Fleming's discovery of stars in recent years, was made from photographic plates recently received from the observatory at Arequipa, Peru. Prof. Bond, of Harvard Observatory, made the last discovery of a satellite of Saturn, 1884. Harvard has thus had the honor of adding Columbus-like, two moons to the ringed planet which has always been such an interesting object to astronomers. Mrs. Fleming, in particular, has been fortunate in her work in connection with the observatory. She enjoys the high and unique honor of having found four of the nine new stars discovered between 1860 and 1895, and now has added a fifth star to her astronomical crown.

Photography, to which most of the recent discoveries of stars is due, was first employed in 1860 to secure views of the corona during an eclipse of the sun. Whether there may be further discoveries remains to be seen. The time boundary of the solar system on the vast orbit of Neptune, 30 times farther from the sun than the earth, remains to be seen. The probabilities are against such a supposition. Mr. Barnard calculated some years ago that a dark body equal to that of the sun in size and only 600 times more remote would probably be overlooked by astronomers, though, of course, the presence of such a vast body would cause inequalities in the movements of others much greater than those which led to the discovery of Uranus and Neptune.

Proctor estimated that in 450,000 years the earth will come abreast of the milky way, and that even then it will pass through the galaxy. Astronomers therefore need not be discouraged through fear that the telescope and the camera will never reach the limits of absolute discovery and exploration. Their science projects itself through such vast fields of space and scenes of time that it makes the nearest approach to divinity in its concepts of the universe.—Chicago Tribune.

Worthy Man Resigned.

M. H. R. French has resigned as cashier of the Exchange Bank to take effect Aug. 1st. A faithful and intelligent young man, he has Judge French's hearty endorsement. He is much easier and more lucid business than his predecessor, the cashier.

## GETTING HER LETTERS.

How a Prima Donna Proved Her Right to Be So.

A distinguished prima donna recently called for her letters at a post office in a provincial town.

"Have you any evidence of identity?" inquired the clerk.

"Unfortunately I have left my cards at home. But it's all right, I am Marianne Brandt, the prima donna."

"I'm afraid we must have some other evidence," returned the clerk. "Any lady could say that."

"Yes, but any lady could not prove it. Just listen for a moment."

The applicant lifted up her voice and sang a cadenza with such brilliant effect that every door in the neighboring shops opened and 20 heads popped out.

The clerk waited until she had finished. Then he simply said:

"Thank you very much. Here are your letters."—Chicago Journal.

## Giving Advice.

If only those without sin were allowed to cast the first stone there would be nobody to give advice.—Atherton Globe.

## On Top Want No Change.

Only those on the lower part of the wheel are in favor of revolutions.—Chicago Daily News.

## Suicide.

In the court yard of Palmer Hotel Chicago, on Sunday night June 25th, Wm. Q. Prewitt, Clarke county, shot and severely wounded Miss Jessie Porter an employee of the hotel and then killed himself. They had become involved in a love affair. The remains of Mr. Prewitt were interred at Winchester on Wednesday.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

## LEVEE.

Hogs are selling at \$3.50 per cwt. Cattle worth most any price the people ask.

Corn is worth 28¢ per barrel. The present crop is short for the time of year.

James Westbrook was given \$50 for a county road running through his place to Willoughbytown.

Sam Rupard and wife, of Howard's Mill, visited the family of T. W. Barlow, a few days last week.

Wm. Wade sold the farm he purchased of L. B. Heflin to a man by the name Wilson, of Indiana.

Heribert Liehn sold to Wm. Greene, of Grassy Lick, a bunch of lambs at 5 cents per pound to go in July.

T. W. Barlow, R. R. Whitsett and Peter Cookrell were the viewers on the road through Westbrook's place.

Mrs. Nancy Heflin, who has been visiting in Rowan and Carter counties, returned to her son's at this place last week.

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## ON THE YUKON.

A Visit in the Gold Country in Harvest Time.

It was just on the eve of harvesting time when I first visited the creek. In a day or two the flow of water from the gulches where the snow lay thickest would make a head sufficient to wash the yellow grain out of the ditches. In the four miles of Eldorado and the ten miles of Bonanza lines of flumes and their dependent sluice-boxes—the lumber for which had been dragged from the Dawson sawmill by husky dogs or cut with whipsaws—formed a network around the string of cabins occupied by claim owners and their workmen, and piles of clay-colored dirt, thawed out by the short winter days, which contained \$10,000,000. The rounded hillsides seemed as bare as the palm of the hand, scarred by broad streaks from top to bottom, showing where firewood and the timber for building the cabins and for keeping up the fires in the drifts had been laid down.

If you descended by the ladders into the holes beside the drifts to the drifts you soon comprehended that reaping the harvest, once you have a claim, is not so easy as picking wild cherries. It is dogged work to strip the trees after day, running the risk of suffocation and being injured to the eyes by smoke and filling up the dirt, bucketful after bucketful, by means of a windlass, with the thermometer 40 below zero, and your dinner to cook.

In one spot of three or four square feet the nuggets are so thick that you can pick them out by hand as a farmer's boy picks potatoes out of a hill. In juxtaposition there may be as many more square feet which are not considered worth thawing and sluicing; and so the drifts seem like the path of a man trying to make his way to the light in darkness.

—Scribner.

## A Serious Accident.

Miss Madge Hart, of Richmond, Ky., who is a guest at Mrs. Ann E. Bean's was taking a ride in a cart held by a two-year-old on Tuesday, the 27th instant. The colt had been driven only a short time but was quite gentle. Mr. W. E. Bean, the driver, got out to open a gate near the residence leading out to the pike, and instead of clucking to start the colt the young lady gave it a kick with the lines when suddenly it sprang forward and was soon running at full speed. Miss Hart became frightened turned on the seat and jumped from the vehicle dislocating left ankle and shoulder.

Dr. Shurall was summoned and the young woman is now fast recovering from her injuries. The colt ran at the gate at the pike and was satisfied to stop. Miss Hart remained in cart most likely she would have sustained no injuries.

## City Primary.

The primary for nomination of Democratic Councilmen will take place to-morrow.

Hon. C. M. Clay has bought 300 head of hens for breeding purposes.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. T. D. Jones is at Olympia.  
Chas. Sewell, of Jackson, is with C.  
T. Wilson.

D. V. Lipscomb and J. B. Martin,  
of Nashville, Tenn., are here.

Mrs. Ida Hill and little son go to  
Carlisle on a visit this week.

Mrs. Addie Peeples has arrived to  
visit Mrs. T. D. Jones.

Miss Lillian Kelly, of Georgetown,  
is visiting Miss Ella Reid Prewitt.

Mesdames Georgia Turner and  
Bruce Trimble went to Lexington to-  
day.

Mrs. H. D. Clark and Miss Fisher  
Greene were in Lexington on yester-  
day.

John Rice has accepted a clerkship  
in the Minogue Drug Store at Car-  
lisle.

[Mrs. Emma Mae Logan, of Shelly-  
ville, is the guest of Miss Mary Pratt  
Hedden.

Richard Kidd, who is working in  
Louisville, visited his family Sunday  
and Monday.

Mrs. Frankie Hedden is visiting  
her mother Mrs. Lou Hampton in  
Lexington.

[Mrs. Dr. Lewis, of Salt Lick, was  
in the city with friends and relatives  
on last Thursday.

Mrs. W. P. Henderson, of Shop  
Spring, Tenn., is visiting her aunt  
Mrs. Elizabeth DeBard.

Dr. Moore and wife, of Ashland,  
visited friends and relatives here a  
few days or the past week.

Missies Lizzie and Emma Pieratt,  
of Ezel, are visiting the Misses Led-  
ford and Duff at Spencer.

Master Roger Hampton is visiting  
at his grandmother's Mrs. Lou Ham-  
pton in Shelly county.

Misses Sallie Thackston and Mary  
Miller, of Huntington, W. Va., are  
visiting Mrs. Wm. Samuels.

Mesdames Leslie Logan and J. E.  
Smith, of Lexington, are visiting the  
family of Mr. Roe Armstrong.

H. L. Godsey and wife, of Wash-  
ington, D. C., after a short visit in this-  
city, went to Hazel Green on yester-  
day.

Prof. D. A. Thomson, of Clay City,  
was in town on Saturday. His wife  
will spend this week with her  
father, Thomas Calk. For three  
years Prof. Thomson has been prin-

cipal of the Clay City Graded School,  
and will be in charge next year.

Mrs. Mary Bridgforth and Mrs.

Stella Cockrell are spending the week

with Mrs. John T. Gay in Woodford

county.

Miss Raene Burroughs, Mrs. Sophie

Randall and Dr. A. B. Stoops are

in attendance at the Kentucky Chan-

taqua.

Mrs. Mayme and Lydia Thompson,

who have been attending school

at Bowling Green, have returned

home.

Miss Lou Squire, of Carlisle, who

has been visiting the family of G. E.

Coons and other relatives, returned

home on Saturday.

John Punch, of Frankfort, spent

Sunday in the city. He says Goebel

will carry the State by the largest

county. She is 89 years old, has 9  
children, 25 grand children, 46 great  
grand children and 3 great, great  
grand children. She is still strong  
and makes semi-annual visits alone.

Last week there was a family re-

union at the home of D. G. Howell in

this county, at which were five genera-

tions.

Miss Maggie Gibson has accepted a

position with Wheeler & Johns. She

invites her many friends to see her.

Mrs. Limie Meadows and daughter,

of Fulton, Ky., are ex-  
pected this week to visit her father,

A. T. Mitchell.

Miss Julia Barber has accepted a

position with Chiles-Thompson Co., as book-keeper. She will make a valuable acquisition.

Mrs. John D. Goodloe and Hen-

ry White, of Richmond, spent Satur-  
day and Sunday in the county, visiting

the family of Mrs. Ann E. Bean.

Willie Pfeatt and Carl Mize, of  
Mazel Green, came down on Sunday. The former goes to Louisville on busi-  
ness and the latter is at the Chautau-  
qua.

Prewitt Young leaves to-day for a  
months visit to Yuma, Ara., Los Angeles and San Francisco, Cal. Denver and Chicago. He  
goes alone. Why this? when the presence of a fair one would  
largely increase the pleasure of the trip.

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DEATHS.

WARE.

R. H. Ware, of Hedges station,  
died Sunday June 25th, of paralysis.

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WOODWARD.

Edwin T. Woodward, aged 83,  
died at the home of his daughter,  
Mrs. J. A. Ramsey, in Winches-  
ter on June 22.

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FORMAN.

At his home in Indian Fields,  
on Sunday, July 2, 1899, Mr. Henry  
Forman, aged about 50, died of  
consumption. He was a merchant  
and undertaker. The funeral services  
were conducted at Kiddville church  
this morning at 10 o'clock. Burial in  
this city. He leaves a large family.  
He was a worthy and highly esteemed  
citizen.

GEORGE W. MOORE,  
Contractor and Builder.  
Estimates Furnished Promptly.  
300,000 BRICK FOR SALE.

A Narrow Escape.

While Dillard and Ollie Hashen  
were cutting wheat last Wednesday  
morning the binder was struck by  
lightning, throwing Dillard, who was  
operating the machine, to the ground.  
The team took fright and Ollie who  
was riding one of the mules found  
it could not control them and in an  
attempt to get away from the team  
fell in front of the cycle but managed  
by crawling to clear of the blade.  
He was struck in the side by the  
tender, which considerably bruised  
him. The team was caught before  
much damage was done to the ma-  
chine.

Cuban Soda Water

The most delightful and refresh-  
ing drink known. The inhabitants of  
Cuba were compelled to have a re-  
freshing drink or perish, and this deli-  
cious drink, prepared by the Blue  
Grass Grocery Co., is their own in-  
vention. It can be prepared at any  
home. Ingredients, with directions,  
at the Blue Grass Grocery Co.

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Your accounts are now ready.  
Please call and settle.  
51-31 W. W. WILSON.

Extensive improvements will soon  
be made in the Exchange Bank build-  
ing.

## RELIGIOUS.

Rev. E. Y. Mullins has taken under  
advice his election as President  
of the Southern Baptist Theological  
Seminary.

The Union services will be held at  
the Southern Presbyterian church  
next Sunday evening. Rev. H. D.  
Clark will preach.

The meeting which has been in  
progress for several days at Old Fort,  
continues with great interest. Rev.  
Clarke, the preacher, of Lancaster, is  
23 years old.

The Levee C. M. E. church  
will hold a grand rally on Pilot  
Knob, the second Sunday in July, at  
which the pastor will be Rev. W. B.  
Harrison, of the First Baptist church  
for the next two months, when he will return to  
the Rochester Baptist Theological  
Seminary, where he finishes a full  
course this year.

Rev. R. A. Thomson preached a  
fine sermon at the Baptist  
church Sunday morning. He left  
for Aiken, S. C., on Monday,  
where he supplies for the First  
Baptist church for the next two  
months, when he will return to  
the Rochester Baptist Theological  
Seminary, where he finishes a full  
course this year.

Rev. H. Miller preached a practical  
and interesting sermon at the  
Union meeting at Baptist church on  
Sunday evening pointing out the  
safe guards which should be placed  
around the individual, family, com-  
munity and church. This was the  
first service of the Union series. The  
church should be crowded every  
evening.

The members of the First Presby-  
terian church are looking forward to  
a rare treat this summer, in the re-  
turn of the pastors who have served  
that church with the past twenty  
years. Rev. Henry M. Rogers, who  
preceded Mr. Nave, and is now located  
at Frankfort, Ohio, will visit and preach  
for the first two Sundays in August,  
and Rev. Henry L. Nave, of Craw-  
fordsville, Ind., will fill the same sort  
of an engagement for the last two  
Sundays in August. An attractive  
feature of these services will be the  
local color by Miss Flora Samuels,  
who has been engaged for the series  
of services.

St. Patrick's Roman Catholic  
Church was crowded to overflowing  
last Sunday morning, the occasion  
being the celebration by Rev. Father  
W. E. Punch, of his first Mass. The  
ceremonies of the Catholic church are  
always beautiful and impressive and  
on this occasion a solemn High Mass  
was rendered, with Father Punch as  
celebrant, Rev. H. H. McDonnell, master  
of ceremonies, Rev. Peter Mc-  
Donald, assistant priest, Rev. Father  
Gorey sub-deacon and Rev. Mr.  
Coleman, deacon. An especially  
selected choir from Lexington, composed  
of Misses Eds and Katie Murry  
and Mrs. Tom Quinn, soprano, Mrs.  
Will Irving, alto and Misses E. Buck-  
ingham, D. M. Murry, and Miss Caro-  
line Kidd, organist. Millard's Mass  
was charmingly rendered. Miss  
Ellie Murry sang at the oratory.  
Millard's Ave Maria with due effect.  
Miss Murry is one of Lexington's<sup>2</sup>  
most popular singers, having a soprano  
voice of marvelous purity and sweet-  
ness. The Rev. Father Peter Mc-  
Donald delivered the sermon. Father  
McDonald is an easy graceful and  
eloquent speaker his oration to his  
congregation being a gem of eloquence  
and word painting. Many visitors  
were in attendance from surrounding  
towns, and we join with them and  
our hosts of friends in this city in  
wishing father Punch a long and useful  
life in his chosen calling.

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coffee that is sold in Mt. Sterling,  
but we believe we sell the best  
12½% bulk roast coffee that is sold  
in this town. A trial will convince  
you. J. DAVIS SEWELL.

## RECEPTION.

Mrs. S. Honck McHenry was hos-  
ted this morning at a beautiful re-  
ception, given from 9:30 until 11:30,  
complimentary to her new sister, Mrs.  
W. D. Bolton, nee Miss Margaret  
Dean, of Mt. Sterling, Ky. The pret-  
tily decorated house was beautifully de-  
corated in cut flowers and palms. In  
the back parlor lemonade was served  
by Mrs. Theo. G. Burkhardt and Miss  
Etta Lou Carter. In the long dining  
room, with its beautifully decorated  
table, ice, fruits, cakes and bon-bons  
were daily served. Pink and green  
predominated, wide pink rib-  
bons reaching from the smilax-draped  
chandelier to the sides of the table,  
and here fastened with pink and green  
bows. The hardwood table was partially covered by an elaborate  
embroidered rose centrepiece,  
with a tall cut-glass vase filled with  
Lisianthus roses.

Mr. McHenry was assisted in re-  
ceiving by the bride and her sister,  
Miss Mattie Bolton. Mrs. James E.  
McHenry and Mrs. Waller Bolton as-  
sisted in a general way.

Fully one hundred invitations were  
issued and many beautifully gowned  
ladies attended. Mrs. McHenry wore  
a pretty white organdy gown tucked  
and trimmed in lace, white taffeta  
stock and sash.

Mrs. Bolton was exquisitely gowned  
in her wedding robe of white Paris  
muslin, full sweeping train, elaborate-  
ly trimmed in valenciennes lace and  
insertion, high corsage, finished with  
crush collar of satin, satin girdles and  
ends; bouquet of pink roses.—St.  
Louis exchange of recent date.

Money to loan, 10 years time,  
with privilege of paying in instal-  
ments of one-fifth each until  
principal is paid, giving the bor-  
rower privilege of paying all in  
five years. A. HOFFMAN.

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THE SICK.

Newton Bright continues to im-  
prove.

J. P. Johnson, of this city, has ty-  
phoid fever.

The condition of Miss Mary Ma-  
gowan is serious.

Mrs. Matilda Cox has been much  
worse since Sunday morning.

Mrs. Martha Gibson continues quite  
ill. Some days she appears very  
much improved, but those good days  
are followed by others when her con-  
dition becomes such that she loses  
all she has gained. Her condition is  
very serious.

Strayed.

From barn of Herbert Moss on  
Carargo pike on June 16, a black  
Buckshire sow, black except a little  
white on tip of nose and front feet,  
weighs about 350 pounds and ready  
to fad pigs. Information leading to  
recovery will be promptly rewarded.  
R. L. SETTLES,  
Mt. Sterling, Ky.

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New Officer.

Mr. John S. Frazer has been selected  
by the Exchange Bank of Ken-  
tucky to succeed Judge H. R. French  
as justice. Mr. Frazer has been  
associated with this institution before  
and his success as a banker is not an  
experiment. Under the cashiership  
of Mr. Frazier we shall expect con-  
tinued popularity.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the  
undersigned Committee until July,  
15th, 1899, at 2 o'clock P. M. to re-  
model the Exchange Bank Building.  
The plans and specifications can be  
seen at William Brown, office.

J. A. SHIRLEY, } Committee.  
N. B. LLOYD, }  
H. R. PREWITT, }

Three gallons of happiness for 10  
cents can be secured by using our  
Cherry Phosphates; some other people  
may have something just as good,  
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Gone to Detroit.

The National Christian Endeavor  
Convention convenes in Detroit, Mich.,  
on to-morrow. Misses Margaret  
Jones, Beatie Roberts, Minnie Groves,  
Bruce Chiles, and Rosa May Starratt,  
of this city, left for that city on yes-  
terday.

The ice cream supper has been  
postponed until Thursday night.  
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and correct trading, you can buy  
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There's economy in the wearing,  
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ges, Figured Weaves, Tailor Suit-  
ings, etc., etc.

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by poor trimmings and findings.  
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made to give nearly double service  
by a proper attention to these things.  
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everything that goes into the  
makeup of a dress of the best.  
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the best, especially when that best  
will cost you here but a fraction,  
a mere shade more than the poor  
sorts. Penny pinching is the poorest  
kind of economy, when you're  
fitting out a dress for the maker.

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